



# OER Growers Autumn Season 2012

## Wiki Links



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# TYPES OF LINKS

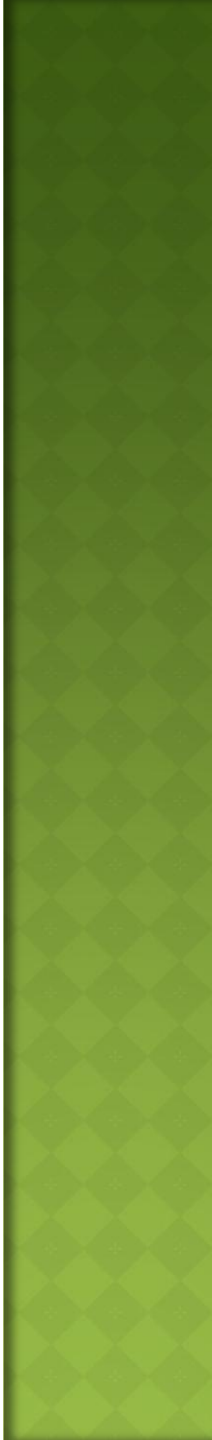
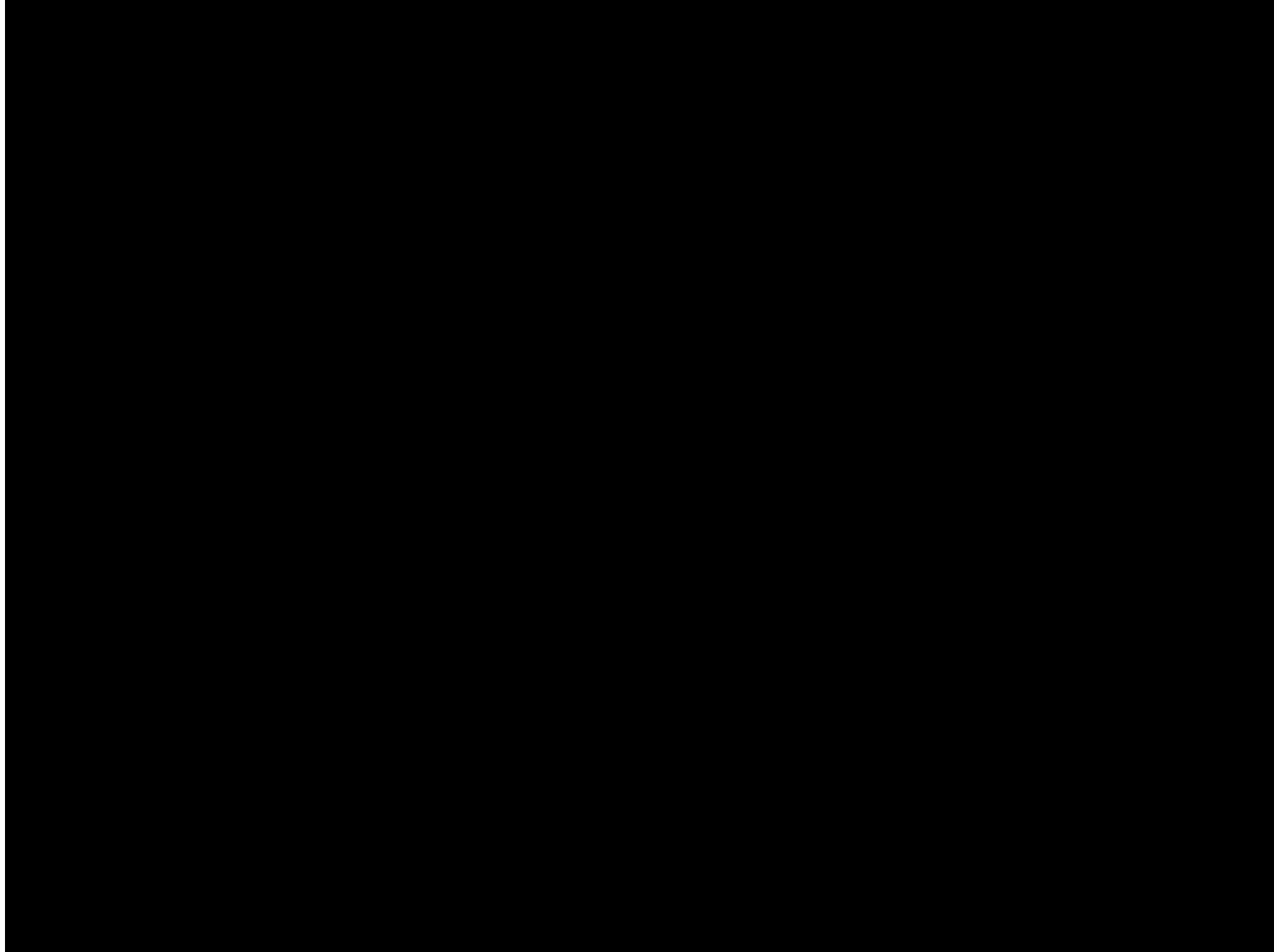
There are two basic types of links in MediaWiki:

- ◉ Internal links to other pages in the wiki
- ◉ External links to other websites

# HOW CREATE INTERNAL LINK

- To add an internal link, enclose the name of the page you want to link to in double square brackets.
- When you save the page, you'll see the new link pointing to your page. If the page exists already it is displayed in blue, if it does not, in red.

# INTERNAL LINK



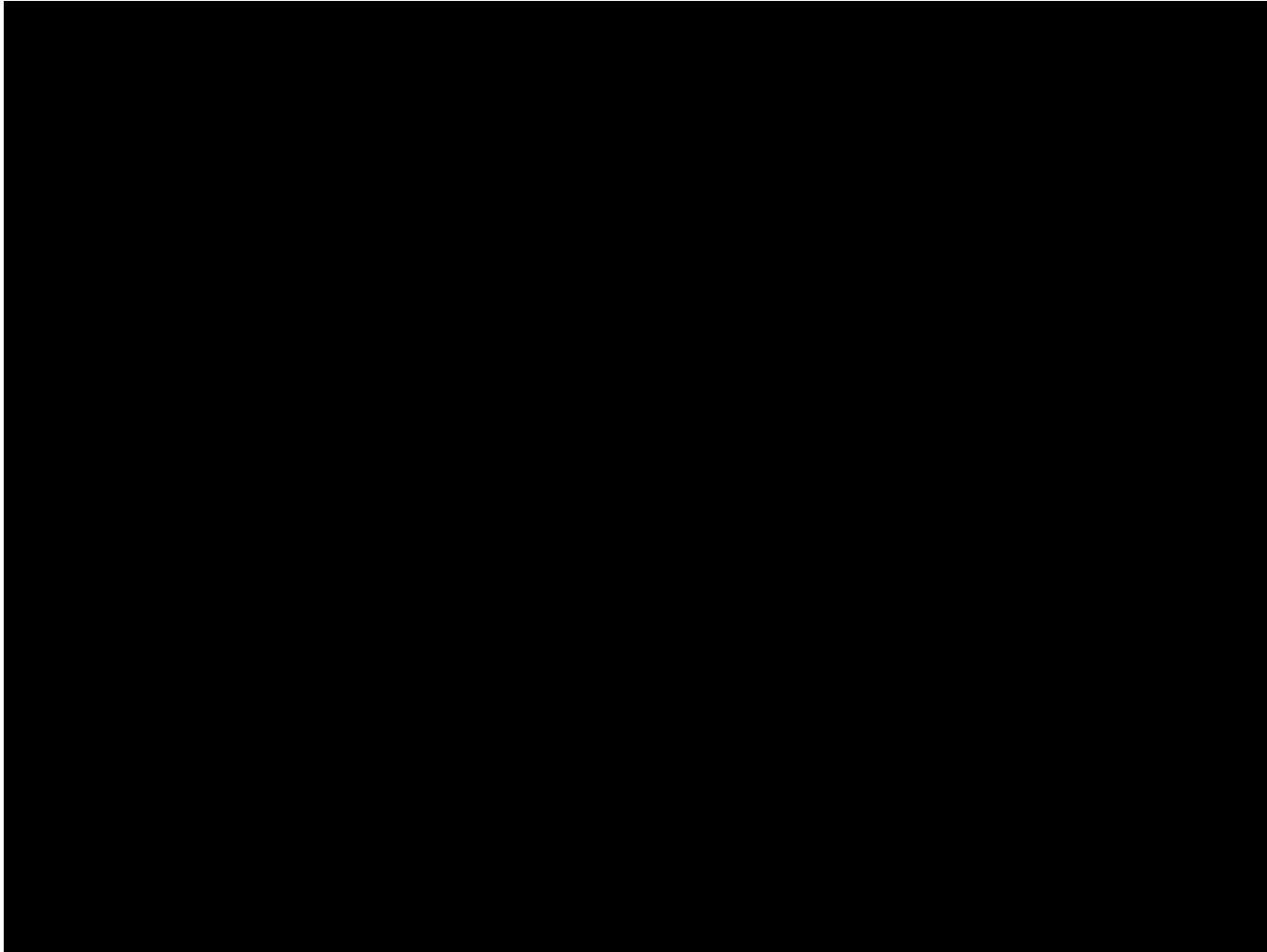
# EXAMPLE OF EXTERNAL LINK

Description	What you type	What you get
Internal link	[[Main Page]]	<a href="#">Main Page</a>
Piped link	[[Main Page different text]]	<a href="#">different text</a>

# HOW CREATE AN EXTERNAL LINK





The syntax for referencing a URL is simple. Enclose the URL in single brackets with a space between the URL and the text that will be displayed when the page is previewed or saved.

EXTERNAL LINK





# EXAMPLE OF EXTERNAL LINK

Description	What you type	What you get
External link	<a href="http://mediawiki.org">http://mediawiki.org</a>	<a href="http://mediawiki.org">http://mediawiki.org</a> 
External link with different label	[ <a href="http://mediawiki.org">http://mediawiki.org</a> MediaWiki]	<a href="http://mediawiki.org">MediaWiki</a> 
Numbered external link	[ <a href="http://mediawiki.org">http://mediawiki.org</a> ]	[1] 
External link with file icons	[ <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.avi">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.avi</a> video] [ <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.ogg">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.ogg</a> sound] [ <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.pdf">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/.pdf</a> document]	<a href="#">video</a>  <a href="#">sound</a>  <a href="#">document</a> 